



## **Special Educational Needs Coordinator (SENCO)**

Required for January 2023. Pay scale: Leadership L9-L13 £51,402-£56,721 (pay award pending)

We are looking for a committed, enthusiastic and forward-thinking professional to lead our Special Educational Needs department which has 2 Deputy SENCOs and a large team of Teaching and Learning Assistants. The school as a whole is proud of its student-centred approach to learning. We are also looking for an outstanding practitioner to make a major impact on our school.

The successful candidate will:

- Have a passion for working with SEND students;
- A proven record of achieving results, whether academic or social, with vulnerable learners;
- Lead the teaching and learning in this key department;
- Have a commitment to personalised learning and inclusion;
- Be responsible for the day-to-day implementation of the school's SEND Policy and co-ordinate the specific provision required to support individual students;
- Work with the SLT and staff to ensure the best outcomes for SEND students;
- A team player

Patcham High School is an 11–16 comprehensive school of 1100 students, located on the outskirts of Brighton. Patcham High is vibrant, proud and successful and is known for its innovative approach and values CPD very highly. We have an unshakeable faith in the power of high-quality teaching and want the very best for all our students.

To apply please download the job description, person specification and application form from the school's website <http://www.patchamhigh.brighton-hove.sch.uk/school-information-2/vacancies/> If you have any questions, please contact Elise Holmes, Headteacher's PA by email [eholmes@patchamhigh.org.uk](mailto:eholmes@patchamhigh.org.uk) or by telephone 01273 543484

***Patcham High School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an Enhanced DBS Check.***

*We welcome applications from all parts of our community as we aspire to have a staff body that matches the social and cultural diversity of our student intake. We are open to flexible working.*

**We reserve the right to interview on application should a suitable candidate become available and we have the right to withdraw this advert prior to the closing date.**

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**Closing date: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 1pm**

**Interview date: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2022**